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Remarks:

As evidenced by the 9 December 1969 memorandum, the DCI has previously concurred in the USIA amendment. I recommend that your response to the BOB be somewhat along the lines of the thoughts contained in paragraph 2 of the 9 December memorandum.

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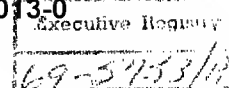
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Remarks: See attached letter prepared by DDP/DC/CA- [redacted] which Mr. Helms sent to OEP in reply to USIA Draft Ex. Order. You may wish to refer to CA Staff, however would think we can have Mr. [redacted] respond to BoB using same language in paragraph two of DCI 9 Dec letter (ER - 69 - 5753/A) THE BALL IS BACK IN YOUR COURT.			
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General George A. Lincoln, Director
Office of Emergency Preparedness
Washington, D. C. 20504

Dear Abe:

Thank you for your letter of 24 November requesting my comments or recommendations concerning the United States Information Agency's proposed amendment to Executive Order No. 11490.

I have reviewed the proposal carefully and find the amendment, from this Agency's point of view, in good order. I have no substantive comment or recommendations to offer.

Sincerely,

/s/ Richard Helms

Richard Helms
Director

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Remarks:			
<p>Would you please advise as to Agency views with respect to the attached draft amendment to EO 11490 so that an appropriate reply can be prepared. It would also be helpful if you could forward copies of earlier action taken by the Agency with respect to this proposed amendment as mentioned in paragraph 2 of OEP's letter to BOB.</p>			
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**EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
BUREAU OF THE BUDGET
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503**

January 7, 1970

**Honorable Richard Helms
Director of the Central
Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505**

**Attention: Mr. John Maury
Washington, D.C. 20505**

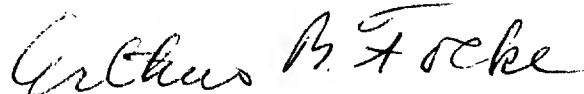
Dear Mr. Helms:

In accordance with the provisions of Executive Order No. 11030, as amended, relating to proposed Executive orders and proclamations, the Director of the Bureau of the Budget has received the following papers (copies enclosed):

- (1) Draft Executive order entitled "Assigning emergency preparedness functions to the United States Information Agency."
- (2) Transmittal letter of the Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness, dated December 24, 1969.

The Director of the Bureau of the Budget would appreciate receiving an expression of your views with respect to the proposed order.

Sincerely yours,



General Counsel

Enclosures

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
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Honorable Robert P. Mayo
Director
Bureau of the Budget
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Mayo:

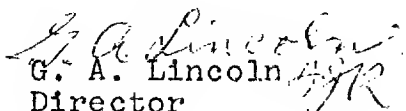
The President issued Executive Order No. 11490, entitled "Assigning Emergency Preparedness Functions to Federal Departments and Agencies," on October 28, 1969. During the final stages of the processing of that order, the United States Information Agency presented an amendment assigning certain emergency preparedness planning functions to that Agency. In order to avoid delaying the issuance of the order, final processing of the U.S.I.A. amendment was held in abeyance.

The U.S.I.A. amendment was revised in this Agency to bring it into closer conformity with the provisions of Executive Order No. 11490, without change in its basic purpose or effect. The revised amendment was submitted for the consideration of the Department of State, the Department of Defense, the Central Intelligence Agency, and the United States Information Agency, and each of them has expressed concurrence.

The enclosed draft Executive Order is identical with that approved by those Departments and Agencies.

I recommend its prompt submission for the consideration of the President.

Sincerely,


G. A. Lincoln
Director

Enclosure

EXECUTIVE ORDER*

Assigning Emergency Preparedness Functions to the
United States Information Agency

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States, and pursuant to Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1958 (72 Stat. 1799), the National Security Act of 1947, as amended, the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, and the Federal Civil Defense Act, as amended, Executive Order No. 11490 of October 28, 1969, is amended by inserting immediately after Part 28 a new Part 28A, as follows:

"Part 28A. United States Information Agency

"Section 2850. Functions. (a) The Director of the United States Information Agency shall prepare national emergency plans and develop preparedness programs for the continuation of essential emergency foreign information activities. These plans and programs shall be designed to develop a state of readiness which will permit continuing necessary activities under all conditions of national emergency including attack upon the United States.

* Text of this draft is as transmitted to the Director of the Bureau of the Budget by the Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness December 24, 1969.

"(b) The Director shall (1) develop plans for the formulation and execution of foreign information programs utilizing the Agency's overseas posts and all media designed to promote an intelligent understanding abroad of the status of the emergency within the United States and the efforts, policies, activities, needs, and aims of the United States in dealing with the international situation then existing; (2) develop emergency plans and programs, and emergency organizational structures required thereby, as an integral part of the continuing activities of the U.S.I.A. on the basis that it will have the responsibility for carrying on such programs during an emergency; (3) provide and maintain the capability necessary for simultaneous direct radio broadcasting in major world languages to all areas of the world and wireless teletype to all United States Embassies; (4) provide advice to the Executive Branch on foreign opinion, and its implications for United States policies, programs, and official statements; (5) maintain liaison with the information agencies of friendly nations for the purpose of relating the United States Government information programs and facilities to those of such nations; (6) participate in the development of policy with regard to the psychological aspects of defense and develop plans for assisting the appropriate agencies in the execution of psychological operations with special attention to overseas crises short of war; (7) maintain United States Information Service staffs

abroad for the conduct of public information for all agencies of the Government, recognizing that in a theater of operations the U.S.I.A. would make available to the appropriate Commander all United States citizen personnel on U.S.I.A. staff, who agree to remain, to serve in support of psychological operations; and (8) lend appropriate support in psychological warfare to the military command in the theater or theaters of active military operations, and provide daily guidance and basic informational materials.

"(c) The Director shall insure development of appropriate plans necessary under this Part and issue emergency instructions required to implement all appropriate plans developed under this Part."

THE WHITE HOUSE

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20 January 1970

Mr. Arthur B. Focke
General Counsel
Bureau of the Budget
Washington, D. C. 20503

Dear Mr. Focke:

Thank you for your letter of 7 January 1970 requesting our views with respect to the draft Executive order entitled "Assigning emergency preparedness functions to the United States Information Agency."

The Central Intelligence Agency has no objection to this proposed Executive order.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

John M. Maury
Legislative Counsel

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